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FRENCH SOLDIER KILLED IN WEAPONLESS WAR

Quarter Billion Dollars Lost In Mexican Fields

Loss Sustained By American Citizens In Mexico Fails to Depress Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, March 16.—Announcement that American investors face a loss of a quarter billion dollars in Mexican oil fields failed to depress oil stocks on the New York exchange today.

A statement that salt water had seeped into the Mexican fields, ruining wells, and that American companies will stand half of their half billion investment there, was made by A. C. Bedford, chairman of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, in an article in a magazine on foreign affairs.

In addition to money loss, America faces an oil shortage, unless new fields are opened up, Bedford says. He insisted, therefore, that Mesopotamian and other oil districts be opened for the general good.

Alleged Embezzler Accussed of Getting Away With $80,000

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 16.—Edward J. Donahue, alleged embezzler left here today in custody of Walter Owen, British provincial police, who is returning him to Vancouver, B. C.

Donahue is charged with misappropriating $80,000 funds of a Vancouver firm, of which he was manager, Owen said. Donahue denied he was evading arrest and waived all extradition rights

FLAMES MENACE 350 PATIENTS IN MONTREAL HOSPITAL

MONTREAL, March 16.—Lives of 350 patients in the hospital for incurables were menaced when flames razed the structure during the night.

Attendants and nuns rescued every patient in the hospital without injury to any while the fire completely destroyed the building, causing damage estimated at nearly a million dollars.

The incurables were marshaled out and cared for by nuns, who were in charge of the hospital and who took the rescued patients to the grey nunnery nearby.

Brunt Of Storm Hits Mississippi

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 16.—High winds, snow and freezing temperatures were reported today from various sections of the South and Southwest.

The brunt of the storm, which came out of the North, struck Mississippi, where hgih winds caused heavy property damage and serious injury to a number of persons.

Snow was general from Colorado to Arkansas and from Nebraska to Texas. Gales in Texas sent the thermometer to 40 degrees, while a near blizzard was reported in the Panhandle.

Western Kansas received a much needed rain and snow and as a result the winter wheat crop was very greatly benefitted.

Trains, however, were not seriously delayed and wire communications were slightly interrupted.

Heavy Losses From Careless Checking

NEW YORK, March 16.—Business today pays but little attention to actual money. Not more than one per cent of the annual turnover of the country is dependent on "hard" money. The other ninety-nine per cent is done by check, by promissory notes or drafts.

Real money, as represented by gold and silver coins or by currency, has finally become of use only for emergency purposes. If this were not the case business in the United States would be paralyzed, because there is only a little over $4,000,000,000 in actual money in the whole country, and in 1922 the total amount of business done as represented by bank clearings amounted to nearly $400,000,000,000.

The $4,000,000,000 of real money on which all business in the country is done is too valuable to move around to be lost or stolen. But the increasing use of checks and drafts has given impetus to a new form of crime—that of raising, altering and forging checks.

It is estimated by the Forgery Prevention Bureau of New York that one dollar out of every $8,000 worth of business done by checks is stolen by check alteration, most of which is made possiblo by carelessness. The total losses through check alteration in 1922 is estimated at $46,875,507, and it is expected that this amount will be increased in 1922

Most check alteration losses result from carelessly handled or drawn checks. The Forgery Prevention Bureau urges check users to guard a blank check as they would actual money, for a check with a man's signature is worth his bank roll, if that amount can be written into it. The Bureau also urges that only the type of check paper most difficult to alter be used. The amounts should be stamped into the paper by mechanical devices—of which there are a number that are alteration proof.

Bankers have finally come to realize the danger of counter checks and have removed them.

Final Cotton Mill Rally Saturday 3 p. m.

The final Cotton Mill rally will be held at the American Legion Hall Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Every citizen is urged to be present to hear the final reports of the committees that have been at work to make the campaign for new industries for Limestone county a success. Only about $23,000 remained to be sold at the last meeting, Wednesday afternoon, and it is expected that a good many addtional thousands will have been sold before the final rally Saturday. With every citizen coming in and joining those who have so far assisted in putting the project over, there will be no question but that the new industry will be secured for Mexia. Those who have not yet invested in stock and who will not be able to be present Saturday afternoon are urged to phone or write J. K. Hughes, chairman of the Industrial Committee, or to George Petty, president of the Chamber of Commerce, or to any other team captain, C. of C. official, team member of citizen of Mexia. It will be promptly reported Saturday and the news will be sent out to the world that Mexia has won another battle in its campaign for progress and for a greater and better section of Texas.

Mississippi Town Levelled To Ground By A Recent Storm

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 16.—The town of Savage, Miss., was leveled by a cyclone which struck there, doing according to refugees who reached here today, considerable damage. Near a score were injured, according to one refugee. A number of persons are reported missing.

Later reports say five are dead.

Grand Jury Fails To Indict Anyone At Bastrop Court

BASTROP, La., March 16.—Bills of information against persons charged with complicity in the reign of terror here, were considered by State officials for the murder of Watt Daniel and Thomas Richards and other outlawry.

The grand jury in a report handed to Judge Fred Odom last night declared it has investigated the murders and other alleged crimes by hooded mobs and failed to find grounds for indictments.

Woman Has Last Word At Austin

AUSTIN, March 16.—Mrs. Edith Wilmans, Texas' only legislatrix, "just like a woman", had the first and last words on the 38th legislature, it was shown today. She had the "first word" when she nominated the speaker of the house, and the last when she "blessed out" certain newspapers yesterday, just before adjournment was voted.

Leaguers To Enjoy Social Hour At The Home of Mrs.Peyton

According to members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, there will be a League Social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Peyton tonight. A delightful evening is assured and it is hoped that the event will be one of aid in stimulating interest in League work on the part of larger numbers. Since the first of the year, when the organization was perfected, it has been growing constantly, rendering very helpful programs at the church each Sunday prior to the evening's preaching hour. Every member of the league and those eligible to membership are cordially invited to the social tonight.

DALLAS COUNTY MAN GIVEN A 40 YEARS SENTENCE

DALLAS, March 16.—Sydney Welk, the third man tried in connection with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Tom Wood, who was killed in a whiskey raid near Garland December 21st, was sentenced to 40 years. The jury deliberated all night. Clayton Commer and Henry Belcher, already tried, were each sentenced to ten years.

Nice Is Mecca For Third Meet

NICE, March 16.—Brilliant sunshine from a cloudless sky assured the Riviera of its long anticipated sensation today—the second edition of he net "battle of the century," Molla Mallory versus Suzanne Lenglen.

Holiday makers along the Cote De Azur were flocking to Nice, bent on catching a glimpse, if possible of the match in the South of France toruna-ment that brings together the woman champion of America and the world's titleholder. Many ennis experts and fans came down from Paris.

Molla adn Suzanne are meeting for the third time. On the first occasion, at Forest Hills two years ago, the American woman won when Mlle Lenglen quit. At Wimbledon, in the championship, Suzanne reversed the outcome. The French girl is a 3 and 4 to 1 favorite.

PRETTY WOMEN MAKE THE BEST DRY AGENTS

DENVER, March 16.—It takes the women to get 'em—even the bootleggers, according to E. H. McClenahan, federal prohibition director of this district.

McClenahan has announced he wants some real vamps on his staff of dry sluths and as a result, Colorado girls are expected to "doll up" and call at his office.

According to the dry chief, women can't be beaten for obtaining evidence of dry law violations. They can find out things that would utterly baffle a man.

Every federal prohibition force in the country should have some women agents, McClenahan claims. Not old women, nor yet too young, but about 25 or 30 years old with "brains as well as looks."

Girls who know how to "ear clothes, you know," is the way "Big Mac" puts it.

He doesn't agree with Mrs. Annette Abbott Adams of San Francisco, former assistant attorney general of the United States, who recently said that hard boiled men could effectively administer the national prohibition law. Such men are all right to take part in a raid, but the woman's intuition is what is needed to obtain the evidence, McClenahan holds.

"Moderately young, pretty, smart, good dressers and full of pep," are the requisites of the woman dry sleuth, he maintains.

McClenahan relates an instance of where a young woman who applied to him for a job and finally got it, posed as a "flapper" on several wild parties and turned in evidence on several persons that male members of the staff had failed to get.

Sabotage Plans Of Germans Are Fatal to Enemy

DUSSELDORF, March 16.—A French soldier was killed and three others and several German railroad workers were injured as sabotage swept the Ruhr today. Bridges were boomed and attempts made to wreck trains in several parts of occupied areas.

An explosion destroyed a bridge across the St. Amarvach river. Another occurred near Wedau staion.

The collision of a French troop train and a merchandise train was caused by tampering with a switch in the Trier region.

Sabotage was also directed against telephone and telegraph lines.

JURY DECIDES LIBEL SUIT CASE IN FAVOR OF ROY B. GOODELL IN DISTRICT COURT AT GROESBECK

In the case of Roy B. Goodell against the Mexia Daily Telegram and E. K. Williams, et al, which was tried during the week before a jury in the district court at Groesbeck, charging the defendants with libel, the plaintiff, Roy B. Goodell, was given a judgement in the sum of $10,000.

This was the second time the case had come before the district court, as it will be remembered that during the January term, a verdict had been awarded by Judge A. M. Blackmon for the plaintiff in the sum of $5,000.

The defendants state that they were not able to be present on the date the first judgement was awarded and demanded a trial by jury, which was granted.

The selection of the jury was completed Tuesday afternoon of this week when the trial at this March term of court began. The trial was continued throughout Wednesday and went to the jury Thursday, with the verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $10,000.

The plaintiff was represented by Lee P. Pierson, an attorney of this city and the defendants by L. O. Curtis of Belton and C. H. Machen of Mexia.

BLIZZARD OVER IN MID-WEST AS WEATHER CLEARS

CHICAGO, March 16.—The blizzard which has lashed the Mid-West thruout the week departed today after giving a final demonstration of its fury.

Mercury dropped as much as thirty degrees during the 12 hours from 7 bitter northwest wind whipped a heavy p. m. Thursday to 7 a. m. Friday. A snowfall into almost horizontal sheets, creating huge drifts.

Transportation and communication lines were further demoralized. Many cities in Iowa and Nebraska were cut off from the outside world.

With the thermometer registering zero or lower suffering among the poor in large cities was intense. Rescue missions were crowded here with the unfortunate.

Coal supplies were generally reported sufficient to supply needs.

The weather cleared today and forecasters declared the severe temperature would gradually moderate.

AMOUNT OF "KICK" TO BE FIXED

WASHINGTON, March 16.—A ruling will be rendered soon by Secretary Daugherty fixing the amount of "kick" that may be allowed to accumulate in cider and unfermented fruit juices before the process of nature makes them a violation of the Volstead law, Prohibition Commissioner Haynes informed Represetative Hill of Maryland.

Curley Declares Jess Willard Was Never A Fighter

DALLAS, March 16.—"Willard's effort to come back will be the most pitiable one in the history of the ring."

Jack Curley, manager of Big Jess in the harvest days, made that statement here last night in commenting on a proposed Johnson-Willard scrap.

"Willard was never a real fighter," continued Curley, "not inside. He was a lucky product of the moment in ring history.

"I wish I could expect it from him; I'd like to see the big fellow come through. But it would be flying in the face of nature."

RAIN OR SHINE

(Information furnished by A. W. Waddill the Radio Man, address 305 East Commerce Street, phone 553.)

U. S. Weather Bureau's A. M. Forecast for March 16th.

Mexia and Vicinity

Tonight fair, not so cold, but frost with minimum temperature near freezing. Saturday fair and warmer. Light variable winds becoming Southerly Saturday.

Shippers Forecast

Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North, West and East, near freezing. East Texas tonight, fair, not so cold in interior; frost near the coast, Saturday fair and warmer. West Texas, Saturday fair and rising temperature.

Highway Weather Service

Highways are generally passable but rough and bad in places, especially in East Texas.

Rangers and A Score of Men Guard Court House While The Trial Of Mitchell Proceeds

WACO, March 16—Witnesses were to take the stand today in the trial of Roy Mitchell, mulatto, alleged murderer of Lee, on a charge of having killed W. E. Holt, 45, whose body, with that of Mrs. Viola Denecamp, 32, was found near the Bosque road, five miles from here, January 21.

A jury was selected in record time yesterday, but witnesses were excused. However, the state did introduce a statement allegedly made by Negro to County Attorney C. S. Penick and Sheriff Leslie Stegall, in which the Holt and Denecamp murders are admitted.

Mitchell, according to his alleged confession, axed Holt, criminally assaulted Mrs. Denecamp, and then murdered her. He next tied a rope around Holt's ankle and dragged the body behind an automobile for some distance, badly mutilating it, the statement said.

Backed by a clear firm voice pleaded not guilty to the charge, and defense attorneys gave notice that they would challenge the alleged confession on the grounds that it was made while the defendant feared bodily injury.

Besides a staff of Texas Rangers, nearly a score of men, deputized by Sheriff Stegall are on duty in the court room. No violence is anticipated.

Young Lady's Death Being Probed Today

NEW YORK, March 16.—Police investigating the death of Miss Dorothy King, 27, a pretty artist's model found dead in her Fifty-Seventh street apartment with a chloroform bottle on the floor and a bureau drawer ransacked of jewelry, were working on a murder theory today.

Two men whom attendants at the apartment house said were seen with Miss King the night before her body was found were sought for questioning. Another man has already been quizzed. Possibilities of robbery were also probed.

An autopsy is to be held today.

No Damage Done By Heavy Winds

HOUSTON, March 16.—No damage had been reported early today from the rains and heavy winds that settled over South Texas late yesterday. The lowest temperature obtained in Houston since the cold wave struck was 39.2 early this morning. Forecast for the day was fair and colder.

A blue Texas Norther hit Mexia Thursday, when there was another downpour of rain. Today is quite different, however, with the wind having abated, lovely sunshine returning, everyone feeling better and street paving resumed.

Among other Dallas visitors here this week were C. R. Young, C. E. Scruggs, P. M. Mimberly, George Bellar, J. A. Rhodes, M. O. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins, and Robert Martin.

AMERICANS PAY HUGE SUM ON INCOMES FOR 1922

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Preliminary reports from Federal tax collectors indicate that the American people paid slight in excess of $400,000,000 in income taxes yesterday. Treasury officials said today.

The total may reach $420,000,000, which would be $27,000,000 greater than the amount received on the same date last year.

Previous predictions of the Treasury were that the payment would amount to $400,000,000.

The tax returns made yesterday call for an annual payment of nearly $1,500,000,000, it was estimated.

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 16.—Oklahoma enjoyed fair weather with temperature slightly above freezing today following a half inch rain late yesterday. Snow flurries evident in the Central and Northern part of the State yesterday melted almost as fast as they fell. A rapid rise in temperature today was forcast at the State Weather Bureau here.

ROME, March 16.—Queen Melina of Montenegro died today at Antibes. The Queen's daughter, Queen Elena of Italy, was at her bedside.

WELSTON, Mo., March 16.—Five armed bandits escaped with $15,000 in currency from the Welston State bank.

The Liberty bell was cast in London in1752.

Descendant of Famous Southern Poet May Go To Jail in Case He Fails To Make The First Alimony Payment

MACON, Ga., March 16.—Sydney Lanier III, youthful descendant of the famous Southern Civil War poet has until tomorrow to shove his matrimonial bark off the latest reef upon which it has stuck.

Attorney Oliver Hancock, counsel for Mrs. Peggy Lewis Lanier, girl bride, late yesterday extended until Saturday the time limit he had set for young Lanier to pay the first installment of the $40 a month alimony which was granted Mrs. Lanier by Judge H. A. Matthews. The payment was due Tuesday.

If the payment is not made by tomorrow papers will be presented to Judge Matthews asking him to set a hearing at which young Lanier will be required to show why he should not be sent to jail for contempt of court.

More Cotton Textile Mills For Texas In 1923

M. L. Cannon and L. W. Robert, Jr. To Make Further Surveys of Texas

"The Texas Chamber of Commerce has received telegraphic information from L. W. Robert, Jr., textile mill engineer of Atlanta, Ga., and M. L. Cannon, president of the Cannon, Textile Interests of Concord, S. C., that they will return to Texas within about two weeks for futher surveys of the textile possibilities in this state," said Burt C. Blanton, industrial engineer and manager of the Industrial Department of the Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"The Industrial Department of the Texas Chamber of Commerce will co-operate in every consistent manner and work with Messrs. Robert and Cannon," said Mr. Blanton, "and we are negotiating at present with Lockwood, Green & Company of New York City, and Boston, textile mill owners and engineers,together with other financial interests in the North and East, relative to the plan of 'Textilization' of Texas."

"A statewide survey of the cotton textile mills operating in Texas is now under way," said Mr. Blanton.

"There is a very good opportunity for additional knitting mills in this state," said Mr. Blanton, "as at this time there is only one mill in the state specializing in hosiery production, the same being the Texas Hosiery Mills located in Dallas."

"The Belton Yarn Mills manufacture hosiery yarns; the remaining nineteen mills operating in the state produce duck, denims, cottonades, osnaburgs, ratines, sheetings, yarns and twine."

"Due to the great interest being displayed in many Texas communities," said Mr. Blanton, "we are confident that many new mills will be built in this state. The slogan of the Texas Chamber of Commerce of: "23 More Cotton Textile Mills for Texas During '23" has been heralded throughout Texas; and the people of this state have awakened to the new era of great industrial development upon which the State of Texas is now entering."

ENROLLMENT AT A. & M. IS DOUBLE THAT FOR 1915-16

COLLEGE STATION, March 16.—The total enrollment for the present regular session of the A. & M. College o fTexas has now reached 2150, which is 361 greater than the enrollment of the session of 1921-22 and more than double that of 1915-16.

These figures are revealed in a compliation made by Registrar C. E. Friley. According to his figures on enrollment for the regular sessions from 1915-16 to the present year there have been two sensational rises in the enrollment during those years. The figures show that the enrollment is not gradual but sudden. For the three preceding years before the session of 1918-19 the enrollment was 1152, 1242 and 1086 respectively. In 1918-19 it rose to 1758 and remained close to that figure the three succeeding years, jumping from 1789 last year to 2150 this session.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE WILL VISIT A. & M. COLLEGE

COLLEGE STATION, March 16.—Honorable H. C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture will visit the A. & M. College of Texas March 24 to hold a conference with agricultural workers and will address the students while here. He is on his first official trip through this section of the country.

President Bizzell stated that a special invitation will be extended to a number of agricultural workers thruout the state to meet the secretary on his visit here.

OIL PRODUCTION

As spring opens up interest in Central Texas oil fields activities are rapidly increasing. Roads and fields are drying up an trucks and teams can be seen moving in every direction out of Mexia loaded with supplies for spring drilling campaigns.

Two fine producers started the spring activities off in the Currie field this week with a total flush production of 1800 barrels of pipe line oil. They are the Gulf Productions Company's R. V. Bounds No. 3 with an estimated flow of 600 barrels per day and the Humphreys Oil Company's Meador No. 6 for 1200 barrels per day flush production. This well sprang a surprise on many oil men for the reason that it was being drilled in what was supposed to be condemned territory. When it was reported as being in, oil scouts in many of the hotels here could be seen examining their maps and preparing to visit the new well.

J. K. Hughes of the J. K. Hughes Developing Company stated Wednesday that they were having some trouble with their Morrow No. 1 in the Currie field but expected to bring in a good producer there within the next few days. The Humphreys Companys Garrett No. 1 is drilling out the plug at 3100 feet and is expected to be added to the producing columns this week.

Interest in the Mexia field has shifted to the Humble Oil Company's deep test in their Slaughter No. 1 which is drilling the cement plug with a rotary drill. Casings were set at 3117 feet which is about 100 feet above the second Woodbine sand and from which the Texas Company brought in their Slaughter No. 2. Should the Humble Company bring in a good producer, a renewal of activity throughout the Mexia field may be expected.

The Humphreys Company report that their Kendrick No. 1-A will be brought in Thursday which is expected to be a good producer. This well is located in proven territory.

Oil men are keenly watching activities in the Powell field. The Corsicana Oil and Refining Company's Kenner No. 1 is the center of attraction and which may determine the importance of this new field. Drilling of the plug has begun and it is expected that the bit will have penetrated the pay sand by the latter part of the week.

Humphreys' Burke No. 2 is racing toward the golden fluid and is reported as drilling at 2706 feet. Late reports from the field are that the Springfield No. 1 has been delayed by a fishing job at 2613 feet. Drilling on the Magnolia's Garner No. 1 is progressing nicely. The townsite well which is being drilled by Love Brothers is now below the 1000 foot depth. J. K. Hughes Developing Company's Burke No. 1 is drilling at 2,200 feet.

Officials of the Humphreys Company state that their Jones No. 2 in the Kosse field will be given a shot at it's present depth with a view of giving a present showing of oil a test. This well is down around the 3500 foot mark.

Humphreys Jones No. 1 has drilled out the cement plug and is swabbing oil again.

Humphreys Bassett No. 1 is still drilling and is reported as being right at a mile deep with some showing of oil.

The Revere Oil Company has resumed work on their Bratton No. 1 and F. W. Allen No. 1 with a view of going deeper and giving these wells a thorough test.

The Welch well in the Groesbeck field which is being drilled by the Humphreys Company is reported as drilling in the rock below the 3300 foot mark and it is predicted by the officials in charge of operations that production will be found in this well in the deep test that is being made of it. The well will be carried to the Trinity sand if necessary in order to find the pay.

Voice With Smile Matter Of Health

CHICAGO, March 16.—The voice with a smile is the result of good health and pleasant surroundings, officials of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company declared, in commenting on twenty years effort to protect the health of their "Hello Girls."

All telephone exchanges today have the most modern conveniences and sanitary working conditions for the comfort of the girl employes, but few have advanced to the point of a country home.

The Illinois company several years ago purchased a 48 acre tract near Warrenville, Ill., furnished it luxuriously and established the "Margaret Mackin" home.

It is maintained for girls convalescing from various ailments or suffering from infectious diseases.

Every outdoor sport known for winter and summer is available for the girls and hundreds of girls go to the "Home" each year to get the "smile" back in their voices.

ELKS MEET TONIGHT

The regular meeting of Mexia Lodge B. P. O. Elks will be held at the rekular hour at the club tonight and all Elks are requested to attend if possible as a meeting of importance is to be held. There will be Initiation and other routine business to be disposed of.

The number three was the perfect number of the Pythagoreans, who said it represented the beginning, middle and end.

The fastest flowing river in the world is the Sutlej, in India, which rises 15,200 feet above the sea and falls 12,000 feet in 180 miles.

The first religious newspaper ever issued was the Herald of Gospel Liberty, which was published by Elias Smith of Portsmouth, N. H., in 1809.

In 1889 a bill was introduced in the Kansas legislature appropriating money for drilling four deep holes in the ground "to see what can be found."

Patterson's Column

Today I want to talk about Victrolas and records. We are much pleased with business in this department which is a new one with us. Almost every day new customers come and as a rule they compliment us highly upon our selection of records—particularly the Red Seal Records.

The Radio has given the record business wonderful stimulus and the moment people hear a particularly attractive selection broadcasted they hurry to get the same for their talking machine and they usually find what they want right here.

We are very eager to increase our stock of records to a point where it will scarcely ever be necessary for people in Mexia and surrounding territory to have to order from some larger city.

When you are down town with a moment to spare, drop into our Victrola department and hear your favorite record. The chances are we have it, and we shall be more than delighted to play it for you. Sunday's talk will be about diamonds.

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—PATTERSON.

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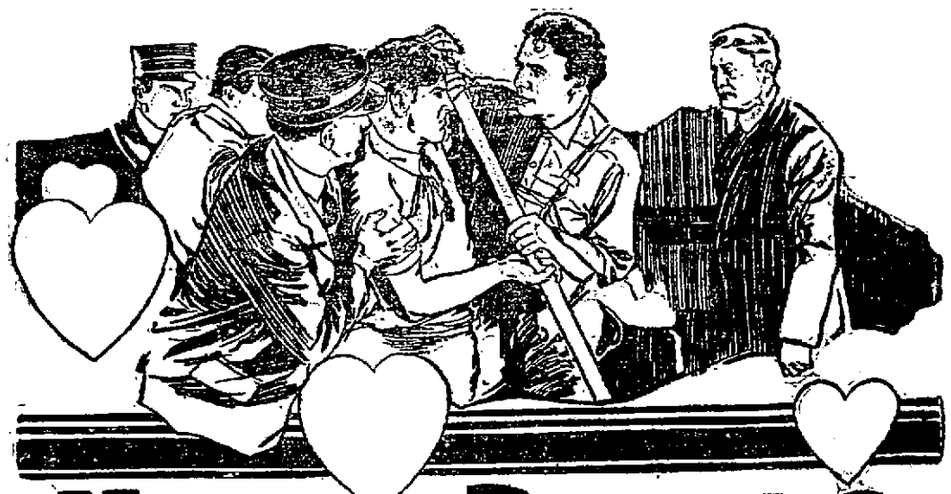

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HICKMAN'S

213 COMMERCE STREET.

High School Students To Contest In Declamation and Debate Tonight Preparing for the County Events

The High School will have its elimination contest in declamation Friday, March 16, at 8:00 p. m. at the Methodist church for the purpose of selecting one girl declaimer and one boy declaimer to represent the school in the Interscholastic League contest. The first team of boys and the first team of girls who will represent the school in debate have already been selected but will debate each other on the occasion, the boys taking the affirmative side and the girls the negative side of the Interscholastic League question for debate. The question is. "Resovled, That an Amendment to the Texas State Constitution Should be Adopted Providing for a Three-Mill Tax for the Support of the State's Higher Educational Institutions; and that Supplementary Institutions by the Legislature Should be Prohibited."

In addition to the declamations and the debates, Mildred Cox will furnish a short musical program.

The following students will enter the declamation contest: Hazel Laird, Celeste Selinger, Oree Stephens, Alaline McQueen, and Margarete Storey, for the girls; and Paul Dresser and George Slocum for the boys. Dorothy Moore and Locklan Farrar will represent the girls in debate, and George Hopper and Oliver Turbyfill will represent the boys. The following judges have been chosen, both for their ability and their sincere interest in the school: Miss Elsie Desenberg, Mrs. J. P. Reynolds, Judge G. A. Walters, A. Garland Adair and Mr. L. S. Patterson

Mrs. W. D. Pittman Burried Thursday

Funeral services were held at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon for Mrs. W. D. Pittman of this city who was stricken with heart failure and died suddenly the evening before about 6 o'clock. Many had not heard of her demise until The Mexia Daily News had carried the sorrowful information to them, after the funeral services and burial in the City Cemetery. As a consequence many were not present at the services to their deep regret. Among out of town visitors who reached here in time for the survices held in the home of the deceased at 718 North Kaufman street, Rev. C. T. Tew, Baptist Pastor officiating, were: W. E. Pittman, son, and wife of Lake Charles, La., D. D. Pittman of Houston, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. W. Shuler of Cleburne, C. B. Pittman of Ennis, Mr. and Mrs. Wat Parker of Fairfield and Roy Pittman also of Fairfield.

The pall bearers were: Gene Sinclair, Oliver Gilmore, C. F. Reeves, T. O. Meador, Sam Adamson, J. M. Tidwell, Leonard Tidwell, F.P. Huchingson, W. A. Buckner and Dr. J. L. Metcalf.

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Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

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Among the Germans it is regarded as a death warning to hear a cricket's cry.

Luxuries Create Desire by Women To Earn Money

HOUSTON, March 16.—That a surprisingly large number of married women work, not to provide themselves with the necessities of life, but in order to have more of the luxuries, is the context of a statement given out by H. H. Haines, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce here.

"Recently the Chamber sent out a questionnaire on the subject, said Haines. "We have not completely analyzed the answers to that inquiry but the astonishing feature is the number of married women who are working and living with their husbands."

Another organization here has made a similar survey of this situation and has reported that "the actual precentage of women who are compelled to work because of necessity is small but that on the contrary the great majority of them are working so that they may buy jewelry, clothing and other conveniences that cannot be classed as necessities," according to the statement by Haines.

Haines points out that the effect of these women working is to deprive many real wage earners of employment in many instances and to force down the rate of wages because of the number of unemployed who are forced to work for whatever wage they can get. He points out also that the women who are not forced to work will do so at smaller wages because their husbands are supporting them anyway.

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FARMERS AND WA GE WORKERS HIT BY DEPRECIATION OF THE DOLLAR

Advances in the prices of nearly all commodities have tended to depreciate the dollar compared with its purchasing power in 1913 until it is now worth only about 61 cents. The rise in prices, it is predicted, will continue, due to the tariff and other artificial factors.

Farmers and wage-workers are the first and worst sufferers from this depreciation of the dollar, since they can not mark up their product to offset increases in the cost of what they buy. The farmer is finding difficulty in selling his products for prices that cover the cost of production. Wage workers are confronted by a downward tendency of wage scales.

The big trusts and monopolies which control the manufacture of food, clothing, and other consumers' commodities are reaping all the gain from the ascent of prices. It is these interests also that are favored by the Republican profiteers' tariff.

AN IMPERISHABLE SERVICE

It should be of interest to the general public of Mexia to know that the head of Vocational Home Economies of the University of Texas gave praise to Mexia business men and Mexia commercial and civic organizations for the interest they are taking in the work of the school children of Mexia in this line.

In this connection it might be recalled that the Chamber of Commerce, with the view of encouraging this work in the Mexia high school, agreed to send two young ladies from the Home Economics Department to the State Clothing Contest at Fort Worth. Since that time the Lions club has followed the example of the Chamber of Commerce and agreed to send two young ladies and the Salesmanship Club has agreed to send one, possibly two.

The principal object of this course of training is to teach high school girls the proper modes of dress, and the prizes that will be given at the State Contest will by no means be given to the most elaborate or finest costume, but will be awarded to the most sensible and most appropriate. For instance, they take the position that a girl should not go to school dressed like she was going to a ball. Hgih heel slippers and elaborate silk dresses and rouge on cheeks will be regarded as demerits rather than credits. This course of study has been approved by the high authorities and is designed to teach high school students something that will be of value to them all their lives.

As a matter of courtesy, it appears that the Texas Hotel, one of the most expensive hosteleries in the entire state, has made the astonishingly low rate of $1.00 per day for pupils and teachers entering this contest.

In addition to sending two of the young ladies to the contest the Chamber of Commerce has agreed that if any of the Mexia young ladies take a prize at the State contest that she shall be made honor guest of a special luncheon where she will be expected to wear the prize winning costume.

TEXAS TABS

By United Press.

GALVESTON. — Determined to drive all habitual dope users from the city, Judge Harry Odell has adopted a plan of fining all offenders brought before his court $100.00 and costs and sentencing them to the municipal rock pile for several days.

GOOSE CREEK.—The body of J. A. Sewenson, 45, was found in Cedar Bayou three miles below here yesterday. Indications were that the man had been stricken with an attack of heart trouble and had fallen into the water. He had been dead but a few minutes when found.

BEAUMONT.J. W. Clark, negro, suing N. Suprdis, taxi driver, for $15,000 for injuries received when he was struck down by a car driven by Spurdis, was awarded $1 in district court here.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

NEW CHARTER SHOULD APPEAL TO WOMEN

(Mineral Wells Index)

The part that women have played in the development of Mineral Wells has been a large one. The beautification of our city and the sanitary work in it has been largely in their hands. Through their efforts vacant lots have been beautified and waste places made pleasing; cleanup campaigns have been staged by them and much good along this line has been accomplished.

We have seen women out doing manual labor for the city in adverse weather and under circumstances that would have caused the men to give up in disgust. But these women have never faltered in the good work. It is an unjust situation, to say the least, for these good women of ours to continue to beg for funds, give entertainments, stage plays, and work themselves ragged for money for the general benefit of every citizen of the community. A study of the charter will show that it offers release to them from this onerous situation. It provides for the parks being maintained by a small property tax and also provides that all shall have a part in and free access to a public library. This, to our mind, is just, right and equitable. The adoption of the new charter assures to Mineral Wells a system of parks; its defeat means that what we have already accomplished along that line will be lost. If the charter fails to carry we will lose the city park on the western outskirts, or else private donations must save it. By the guarantees made in the advertising campaign, any organization would be loathe to start a campaign for subscriptions for any civic purpose. Let's solve these perplexing problems in the only way that can be equitably solved, and that is by adopting the new charter on March 31st.

Reporter Acts As Minister at Burial Of An Old Soldier

SAN ANTONIO, March 16.—The services of a newspaper reporter are many and varied, according to the circumstances to which he finds himself subjected, but seldom does a reporter turn chaplain on a moments notice.

It was the dying wish of the late William Schmickle, 87 year old Civil War veteran that he have a regular military funeral.

His last request was granted and a band and military firing squad were arranged for.

The time came for the services. Every one was ready to start. The band was waiting as was the firing squad. The chaplain failed to arrive, and the funeral was held up for more than an hour waiting for him.

The delay attracted the attention of a reporter, who on inquiring was told of the difficulty.

Some one suggested that the reporter take the place of the missing chaplain, and although he had never conducted a religious service, the reporter assented.

Starting from the undertaking parlor, from which the service was held and finishing with a final prayer at the military cemetery, the reporter went through the ceremeony as he remembered it from having witnessed other such occasions.

HOUSTON.—The horse shoe craze has become a city-wide sport to such an extent that permission has been granted followers of the game to use the courthouse lawn. "It's a good American sport," Judge Bryan said in granting the permission, "And I know of no better use for the lawn."

3,000,000 Autos The Forecast for The Current Year

WASHINGTON, March 16 (United Press.)—Automobile production in 1923 should reach the 3,000,000 mark, provided supplies for the manufacture of closed bodies can be obtained, according to Alfred Reeves, , general manager of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

"Many factors are responsible for the increased production" Reeves stated. "The entrance of farmers and inhabitants of small communities into the market on a larger scale this year than ever before will greatly increase the demand for passenger cars.

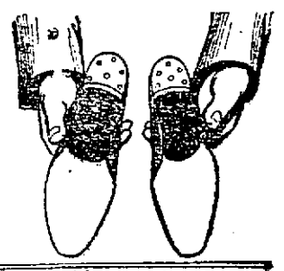
"The use of motor trucks and busses as feeders to street railways and railroads will make itself shown in the demand for vehicles of this type."

With the automotive industry consuming 4 per cent of all the iron produced in the country; 12 per cent of the copper; 17 per cent of the tin; 40 per cent of the plate glass; 88 per cent of the upholstery leather and 80 per cent each of gasoline and rubber, Reeves declared that its prosperity would make itself felt in all industries of the nation.

GONZALES.—A. C. Grant, truck driver, was in a serious condition at a local hospital here suffering from burns sustained when a match ignited in his pocket setting fire to his clothing.

GALVESTON.—One of the heaviest shipments of smokeless powder to pass through the port of Galveston since the beginning of the world war was cleared yesterday when the Carolyn departed for Dupont, Wash., with 5,337,243 pounds of explosives.

At some places the force of the sea dashing on the rocks on the shore is said to be seventeen tons to the square yard.



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Gusher Park Will Soon Be Ready For Season

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BY HECK

Carpenters, cleaners and decorators will about finish up their work at the ball yard this week and everything will then be ship shape for the training season to open in full blast. At present, however, I am informed by the committee that there are yet several spaces left for signs and advertising at the park and those expecting to get in on this advertising must hurry in with their order before it is too late. This work is all being done by the National Sign Company of Mexia who will be glad to call at any time and figure with you for space and prices. Let's see if we can't get the whole fence painted with good snappy ads before the season opens. It is good advertising and by giving the batters who either hit your sign or hit one over it, a present of some kind it will make them all the more anxious to take a healthy crack at the old apple. See either Gene Cinclair, Rex Forrest of Bill Wilson for full information or call the National Sign Co.

SPORTLIGHTS

BY HECK

Notices to report have been mailed Secretary Gray Forrest to the following players: Infielders, McClain, Geppert, Hollander, Kile, Thompson, Newhaus. Outfielders: Hopper, Bryan, Hines, Sanceido, Arrington, Flatt and Schlemeyer. Catchers: Kloppner, Douthit and Swindell and Pitchers: Koch, Hill, Conyers, Ludwick, McCaw and Hauke. There are a few others that are due but we can't tip it off just yet as they have not put their names on the dotted line of the contract, but that is expected to happen soon.

Hollander, a second baseman is already on hand and is a husky looking fellow and played with a semi-pro club in Dallas last season. Hollander comes well recommended and that will make things interesting with the infield scrap.

Well, they finally got together up at Dallas and named their ball nine the "Steers" and just what it is supposed to mean I have not been able to learn. However, it does kinda fit in with the way Ike and Walter handle the Dallas fans mistly by "bull." I'll stake a little bet right now that the Dallas fans will be calling the club a different name before July 1. That aggregation Ike and Walter have collected will do well to finish sixth.

I had a hunch they would call them Ikemarines or Sir Walters or something like that. However "Steers" will fit them just as well as anything by the time Fort Worth, Houston, Wichita Falls and Beaumont get through with them let alone what will happen when Shreveport and the balance get to them.

Jim Sewell an old Texas leaguer has signed with Sherman and they expect him to be their ace and the old bird should just about be that down here among the youngsters. The Red Sox now have fifteen signed up and ready to report and it is a sure bet that Otto McIver will have a strong entry.

Over at Marlin manager Walter Alexander is linging up his Bathers for training but the only dope one can get in the nice things they have to say about their pitching staff which includes Earl Fleharty, Lefty Munch and Lefty Marburger. Looks like a southpaw staff all over and I wonder what it will do in the long run. A good southpaw is hard to beat but their main trouble is that they are not good often enough but the Bathers have three corking men in those named and they will all be hard to beat Fleharty is a bird that I know to be good and anytime you beat him you know you have been in a ball game.

Babe Ruth got peeved when the papers for that $50,000 suit was served on him and whammed five homers over the fence at New Orleans and I believe it would be a good idea for Huggins to have some gal sue him several times during the season. Funny aint it, but you never get to big or popular but what some gal gets mixed into the machinery and throws a monkey wrench into the cogs. But this is the Bambino's squabble and I don't think you fans care a whoop about it—neither do I.

Just for a little info I want to tell you that when Omaha plays here the 28-29 that you will see not only Big Ed Konetchy in action but there are also "Tex" McDonald the old Texas League star who is still a star and Pug Griffin, Tony DeFate both of who are eligible for the murders row on any ball club. Rabbit Apperson, Dick O'Connor, Cot Seimer and others make up this club composed of fence wreckers galore. Better get your business arranged so you can see these two games or your business will suffer because you are going out there just the same.

That is some doghouse they are building for me on top of the grandstand. Plenty of room n'everything, even to a hole in the floor so I can run a string down to the ice box and haul my coca cola. Guess I won't be settin pretty, Huh?

Was at the Gun Club Thursday afternoon but that northwest wind put a crimp in the frolic and had to give it up. At that some good scores were made.

The Tournament at the Gun Club starts Saturday at 3 p. m. and will continue every Saturday. 75 birds per man at each shoot. This is open to all so get in and get signed up.

I had fully intended to breakout with a severe case of poetry today but this "Norther" put a crimp in my beautiful thoughts about flowers, birds, n'everything and I sure hate it because I had fully intended to make Watkins, Patterson, Caspers et al trun green with envy. Something always happens to wreck my joy train.

Tom Cox and Pat Box have challenged me for a foot race down Ross Ave. beginning at Grayson Street with the supposition that it will end at Hopkins Street. I have the challenge under advisement.

Here is how they will be known about the T-A loop.

Waco, Indians.
Austin, Senators.
Marlin, Bathers.
Sherman, Red Sox.
Corsicana, Gumbo Busters.
Mexia, ?

What about that new name for Mexia? Let me hear from you fans about this. One suggestion now in. Make it snappy.

Mrs. Mallory's Sun Not Yet Set

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, March 16.—Laws of nature and the exaction of years will compel Mrs. Molla Mallory to step down some day from the throne she has been occupying as the queen of the American tennis court. That day may come soon and it may be delayed for years. In the case of Mrs. Mallory it depends mostly on the speed with which some youthful star will be developed.

Physical deterioration should not bring to a premature termination her long reign as the best woman player in the United States, as she is far more rugged and is stronger than the average American-born girl. Possessed of the finesse and the repertoire of Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, the "Marvelous Molla" might be able to hold her own even with the great Tilden. She is not only stronger than any other woman player in the country, but she has more endurance than Billy Johnson and a good many other men stars.

Because Molla made such a poor showing in the early rounds of the Monte Carlo tournament is no just cause for organizing the funeral procession. It seems that she won and that ought to be the main thing.

Molla has only one cause for worry, if she takes her title seriously, and that worry is Helen Wills, the California school girl marvel.

Just as sure as anything is sure, little Helen is going to be the champion some day and if her development is the next five years keeps apace with the past three years, she will be as good as the dashing Suzanne.

"Little Wills" may not win the title this coming summer. She has a whale of a chance, but if it is not to be this year, it is not very far away.

When talking about his coming match with Jack Dempsey, which he insists is coming this summer, Joe Beckett, champion knockout champion of England, was quoted in a London paper as saying:

"Many people think it will be a walkover for Dempsey. They can have their own opinions. There is no man in the world I fear. When you measure us up physically, there is not much in it."

If you can figure what Joey meant, bet on it.

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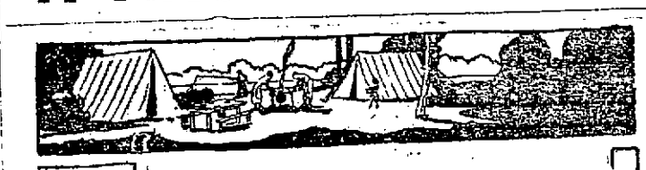

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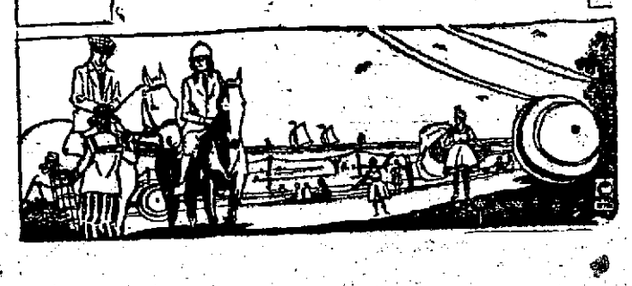

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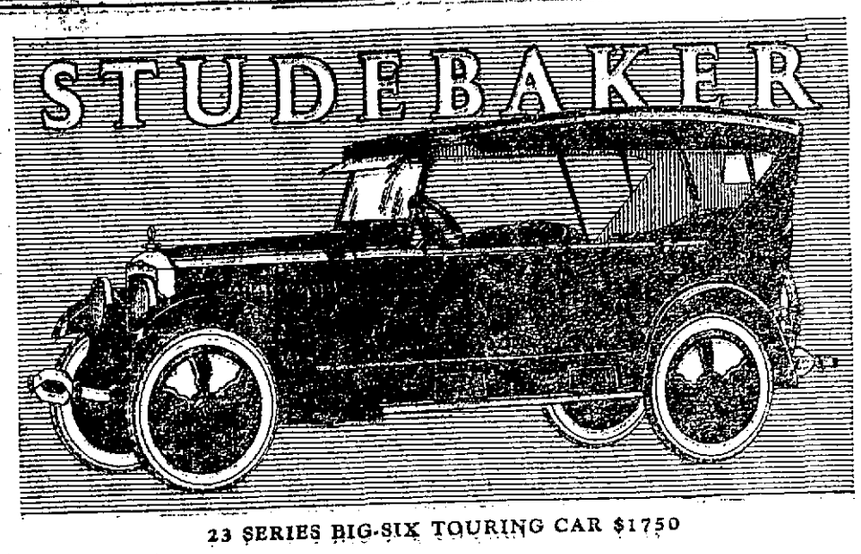

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75-foot Lot Commerce St.....$1000.00
4-room House, Main St.....$1000.00
3-room House, Titus St., close in.....$ 900.00
7-room House, practically new, Ross Ave...$3500.00
6-room House, 75-foot lot, Titus St.....$3500.00
30-room Hotel.....On Terms
8-room House, well located to trade for farm.
2-story Garage, Milam St.....$1750.00
Lots $10.00 cash, balance monthly payments.

150 acres of land, 10 miles south, per acre....$ 30.00
63 acres one mile west of town, per acre.....$100.00
40 acres of land, 2 miles NE., per acre.....$ 60.00
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50 acres, Shiloh, per acre.....$100.00
Will buy or sell Humphreys Stock.

Will trade good land for Mexia property.

"HUMAN HEARTS" AT NATIONAL

"Human Hearts," which is showing at the National theater today is one photoplay that depends upon the oft-neglected factors of a real story and perfect cast for success. The scenic background and other settings are beautiful, but they are kept in the background where they belong. The script is the same as that of the famous old Hal Reid play which was the king of the stage a decade ago. House Peters plays the leading role of Tom Lagon with Edith Hallor as his leading woman. Both players are prime favorites with the theater-goers and are ideally cast in their respective parts.

King Baggot, director of the picture had played the role of Tom Logan in stock many times, and has always declared the play his favorite; hence, when he was chosen to take charge of the production, he used greatest care in the selection of the cast. Among the favorites playing important roles are Russell Simpson, Gertrude Claire, George Hackathorne, George W. West, Lucretia Harris, Ramsey Wallace, Mary Philbin, H. S. Karr and Snitz Edwards.

AVERAGE PERSON HAS NO WEIRD MYSTIC COMPLEX

Psychologists are popping up all over the country with long worded documents aimed to prove that the mind of the average person is a complicated arrangement of complexes, sub-conscious desires, and whatnots. "Human Hearts," the Universal Jewel feature showing at National theatre today is a welcome answer to all this learned babble. It pictures the human brain of the average person as essentially simple; free, in the main, from complexes, except for the superstructure of worldly sham that some acquire.

As one of the New York reviewers wrote after seeing the premiere: "'Human Hearts' is essentially a story of the average family as found throughout the length and breadth of the country. It is a recital of the trials and tribulations that might come to any family, even yours and mine, and that is why it is a great drama. It is human and real to the smallest detail."

The stellar role of Tom Logan in the screen version of Hal Reid's great stage success is played by House Peters, one of the finest emotional actors in pictures today. He brings to the part a keen and sympathetic understanding that enables him to give a characterization that is a masterpiece. Edith Hallor is the leading woman. She has an extremely difficult part, that of a selfish and bitter worldly wise woman, and the excellence of her performance proves her one of the finest actresses on the screen.

The action of the piece is laid in the Ozark Mountains and all the beauty of that picturesque section is reproduced on the screen. Throughout the photography is of the highest class. King Baggot, director, gathered a notable cast for the production, including several players who are stars in their own right.

Included in the notable cast are such players as Russell Simpson, Mary Philbin, Gertrude Claire, Snitz Edwards, George W. West, H. S. Karr, Lucretia Harris, George Hackathorne and Ramsey Wallace.

BIRTHS

The following births were recorded in the County Clerk's office for the week ending March 13.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin of Kosse, a son on March 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smart of Mexia, a daughter on March 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bard of Mexia, a daughter on March 1.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rona Baker of Mexia, a son on March 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wise of Mexia, a son on February 22.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bryson of Mexia, a daughter on March 6.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas McLoin of Thornton, a son on March 1.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith of Mexia, a son on Febraury 5.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cargeant of Mexia, a son and daughter on March 11.

To Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nussbaum of Mexia, a daughter on February 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eurit of Groesbeck, a son on February 28.

To Filford Jackson and wife (col.) a boy on February 16.

Mrs. Howard Wooten Meets With Accident

Mrs. Howard Wooton slipped and fell while walking across the floor at her home in North Mexia, several days ago and suffered an injury to her back that was at first thought to be serious, but the doctor now thinks that she might be fully recovered in a few weeks. It was at first feared that her back was broken, but it is now hoped that it is not so serious as that.

FICTION IN SECOND PLACE

CHICAGO.—Non-fiction is more popular in Chicago than fiction, according to circulation figures for 1922 of the Chicago Public Library. Librarian Carl Rodin in his annual report showed that in a total of 1,229,680 books circulated, 695,026 were non-fiction as against 534,653 fiction.

Letters from People

GROUCHETTS

By Miles Boy

I'm gonta sue the city for Mayhem if they don't wash this dirt off pavement when it rains. I'm not a' gonta let no old Ford splash mud on my pants and get away with it.

I want some grates put on the catch basins too. If my little brodder falls in one of them I'm gonta sue for liable to his person .

I'd like to see these fellers that's leaving out their pavement do them if they can afford it. Them patches look like the devil. Some one ought loan them money to do it to pay in 15 years.

gf I want this age limit of payment raised to 10 years for this pavement so I wont have to pay out no $70 every year for to pay my part. $35 is all I can afford to pay on my 50 foot lot a year and that anough.

I dont like this pavement put in without spansion joints at the curbs. When it spands it mught push all the buildings out a line, and when it contracts the buildings might forget to come back.

I dont like the way all these nice building are cracking, they otta be some way of building them right. This ground is so crawley that I never see in my life. I left my wagon out on it wunst and when I went back after it the ground had crawled off with it and I jumped one of my nabor boys for taking it off. He didn't black my eye but he wanted too.

It makes me sick to see the doodes stanning round on the streets wearing good clothes that aint paid for and making calf eyes at fool gurls that aint weaned yet.

YOUNG PEOPLE BE THERE

On Easter morning, April 1, a union prayer meeting of all young people's church organizations in the city will be held at sunrise (6:30) in First Baptist church. An excellent program is being prepared and you will enjoy it. After a formal program of forty five minutes, breakfast will be served at which each person will be given an opportunity to encourage or criticize the work being done now by all young people's oganizations.

A committee consisting of Misses Prescott, Mr. Ezzell, Mr. Scoggins from Christian Endeavor's, Elaine Oppen, Mr. Jordan from Presbyterian church; Geo. W. Willets, Mr. Lewis from Epworth League; Louise Tidwell, Coleman McCullough, and Mildred Cox from B. Y. P. U., met Monday night and made many active plans for this meeting and it is earnestly hoped all young persons in Mexia will attend.

NOTICE.

Parties desiring season boxes in grand stand at Ball Park will please see Park Committee at once as only a few are available.

W. C. WILSON, Chairman
Park Committee. 15d2t.

If you are interested in comparisons compare this paper with any daily published in Texas in a city of less than 15,000 population.

Quality job work—quantity—yes.

Program For Banker And Farmer Meeting At A. & M. Prepared

COLLEGE STATION, March 16.—Discussions rather than speeches will take up the time of those attending the fourth annual Banker-Farmer conference at the A. & M. College of Texas March 19 and 20. Leaders for these discussions on topics of mutual interest to bankers and farmers in the industry of agriculture have been selected from the Texas Bankers Association, the Texas Farm Bureau and from the ranks of progressive farmers engaged in private enterprise. College officials will also take a prominent part in the proceedings.

The complete program as announced by E. J. Kyle, dean of the school of Agriculture gives place to the names of the following: M. C. Driscoll, Yoakum, president of the Texas Bankers Association; C. S. E. Holland, Houston chairman of the committee of the Texas Bankers' Association; Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the A. & M. College of Texas; W. D. Ferris, Ennis, president of the Texas Farm Bureau; O. Smith, Cameron, F. M. Law, Houston, Lewis J. Thompson, Houston, Shirley Gregg, Manor; J. A. Hill, Corpus Christi; T. O. Walton, Director of Extension, A. & M. College of Texas, Dr. B. Youngblood, director of experiment station, A. & M. College of Texas.

Interest rates for the producers, the new farm credits bill, conservation and boll weevil measures are some of the poignant topics that will be under discussion.

WITH FIGHTLESS CHAMPIONS.

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, March 17.—Since July 2, 1921, when he flattened the stunning Carpentier, Jack Dempsey hasn't done a thing in the ring.

Johnny Wilson hasn't defended the middle weight championship since July 4, 1922, and then against a "ham."

Benny Leonard has been idle since last August.

Johnny Kilbane hasn't had the featherweight crown on exhibition since 1921.

Joe Lynch is fighting second raters in no-decision bouts and giving real contenders the expert side step.

All of which may be taken to show and to mean that when the boys do get hold of a title they hold it.

Dempsey can't fight because he wants too much money and the politicians are afraid of the reformers.

Wilson has the excuse that he is under suspension of the New York commission.

Leonard is an actor.

Kilbane and Lynch have no excuses.

The middleweight champion, however, has been matched to meet Billy Shade in Boston in the near future and he may be reinstated by the New York commission in the meantime.

Leonard is sure to fight twice this summer and Kilbane is training for a bout with Eugene Criqui, the European champion.

Mickey Walker is in the same class with Lynch. Since he won the welterweight champion he hasn't done a thing. Efforts to get him in the ring with young Dave Shade have been fruitless. Buffalo promoters offered him an unbelievable purse with the privilege of picking his own opponent and bringing him along and he wouldn't do it.

Doctors Recommend Bon-Opto for the Eyes

Physicians and eye specialists prescribe Bon-Opto as a safe home remedy in the treatment of eye troubles and to strengthen eyesight. Sold under money refund guarantee by all druggists.

NOTICE.

All bids for concessions at Ball Park must be handed in by Friday, 5 p. m. of this week.

W. C. WILSON, Chairman,
Park Committee. 15d2t.

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To some it means more diversification in crops:
To some it means more safety in investment:
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HELP WANTED—A

WANTED—Bright young girl to help at the Mexia General Hospital. 13d4A

WANTED—Messenger boys. Apply Western Union Office, Mexia, Texas. 15d3A

WANTED—More direct-to-home sales people. Good Health, Household, Food and Toilet Products. Best qualities, lowest prices, largest line, most co-operation, easiest sellers. No advance in prices. On market 34 years. Hustlers make $1.00 hour. Give age, occupation, references. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Ct., 1899 Memphis, Tennessee. 13-15-17-20-22

WANTED—Messenger boys. Apply Western Union Office, Mexia, Texas. Salary $30 per month. 16d3A

POSITIONS WANTED—B

WIDOW must have work at once to support self and two year old son. Excellent housekeeper, and cook (cam experience,) also office work. If you have no such position but know where one may be obtained, won't you please inform me. Box 4, Mexia Daily News. 15d1B

TRADES—C

WILL TRADE $1,000 of E. L. Smith Stock, $1,000 of Woodbine Oil Co. stock, one Ford coupe, 1922 model, $1,000 cash for a small farm worth the money. Answer Box B care News. 16d7C

WILL TRADE $1,000 of Munger Oil Co. Stock, $1,000 of Mexia Battery & Tire Co. Stock for good first vendor lien notes. What have you to trade. Answer Box A care News. 16d7C

LOST AND FOUND—D.

LOST—Between Belknap and McKinney on Milam street one Midco cord tire. Finder please notify "Topic Cafe" and receive reward. 16d1D

WANTED TO BUY—E

WANTED TO BUY—A large safe or steel cabinet for cash. Must be cheap and in good condition. Phone 75. 12d4E

WILL BUY a first class vendor note, well secured on Mexia property, $1,000 note if you have a good one. Answer Box E care News. 16d7E

IF YOU have something to sell, trade, want to buy, looking for location or position slip in a Want Ad, and get it. 16d30E

OIL PROPOSITIONS—G

PRODUCTION ROYALTIES—Will buy producing royalties in the Mexia field. Room 16 Farmers State Bank building or Box 736, Mexia, Texas. Zeno King. 2d30G

FOR SALE—J

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor coverings, stoves and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture. Phone 56. 6d30J

FLOWERS—A nice selection of carnations, sweet peas, all kinds of potted plants, some blooming; fancy reed baskets. Phone 51. 14d3J

FOR SALE—Light rotary rig complete at your own price. Phone Mr. Moore with Ross & Green. Phone 456 for particulars. No reasonable offer will be turned down. 13d4J

FOR SALE—Several iron clad buildings cheap. Phone 643. 14d4J

FOR SALE—Moose Hotel. Plenty of good furniture at a great sacrifice. Can rent building cheap. Apply at 216 West Palestine St. 15d3J

FOR SALE—Must sell at once one large Radio receiving set with one Magnovox Loud Speaker. Cost complete $212.50 ninety days ago. Will take $125.00 for complete outfit. Is giving excellent service. Phone J. F. Lumus, 541. 15d7J

LOT ON COMMERCE street, a lovely residence lot, just off Ross, will sell or trade. Answer Box D care News. 16d7J

HOUSES FOR RENT—K

FOR RENT—A good five room cottage almost modern for rent cheap. Apply Moose Hotel, 216 West Palestine St. 15d3K

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two room house, close in, papered, wired, sewer, water. Furnished. See Mr. Richardson at Berry Barnett. 15d3K

FOR RENT—Six room house on N. Ross. Phone 607. 15d4K

FOR RENT—Five room house, close in. Apply Knoff Grocery, 309 South Bonham St. Phone 357. 15d2K

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

TWO AND THREE room furnished apartments. Lights, gas and water. Rent reasonable. Gates Apartments, 834 East Commerce St. 2d30L

FOR RENT—Two room apartment, lights, gas and water. 318 East Palestine. 16d2L

RESPECTABLE apartments. Best neighborhood, safe, quiet. Two to four rooms. Low rates, also bed rooms. Young Rooms, East Main and Red River Streets. Phone 667-W. 13d7L

FOR RENT—Furnished two room apartment with screened in sleeping porch. Hot and cold water. All modern conveniences, close in. 502 East Main. 13d3L

FOR RENT—Two room apartment, furnished for light housekeeping in private home. Rent reasonable. Phone 221. 15d3L

FOR RENT—One, two or three rooms furnished for light housekeeping, lights, gas and bath. Also one two room shack. 312 N. Canton. 16d2L

MISCELLANEOUS—P

WE HAVE moved one block North of City National Bank. See us before buying or selling Second Hand Furniture. Auction Store 117 East Palestine Street. 9d7P

SUITS CLEANED and pressed $1.00. Ladies work a specialty. Also laundry handled. Called for and delivered. Phone 595 Day and Night Cleaners, 205 N. McKinney. 8d7P

WANTED—Hemstitching at 527 S. Belknap St. Mrs. E. L. Clinkscales. 11d14P

SCHOOLS—V.

THE MEXIA BRANCH of the Sinclair Select Business School. Individual private instruction. Day and night classes. Mrs. Pearl Terrell, prin. 110 Spreng Building. 1d31V

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Notice is bereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall in Mexia, Texas, April 7th, 1923, for the purpose of electing four trustees for the Mexia Independent School District to serve the ensuing two years. All qualified voters residing within the limits of the said Mexia Independent School District are entitled to vote in said election. Mr. W. B. Kendrick is appointed manager to hold this election.

Witness my hand at Mexia, Texas, this March 7th, 1923.

David Murphy,
Secretary, Board of Trustees
Mexia Independent School District.
11-16-3.

NOTICE.

Parties desiring season boxes in grand stand at Ball Park will please see Park Committee at once as only a few are available.

W. C. WILSON, Chairman
Park Committee. 15d2t.

FOUGHT WILD BEASTS TOGETHER; ASK DIVORCE

CHICAGO, March 16.—The final act in the romance of the Akeleys, best known of all jungle hunters, will be played in superior court here March 22, when the Carl E. Akeley divorce suit is heard.

Four times Mrs. Delia J. Akeley accompanied her husband, famous big game hunter and naturalist, through the trackless jungles of Africa, establishing a name for herself as a wonderful shot and probably the most daring huntress of all times.

But on the fifth trip, Akeley braved fever, wild animals and exposure in the wilds of Africa without his wife. On his return last year, he filed suit for divorce on grounds of desertion, Mrs. Akeley filed a cross bill shortly after, alleging desertion previous to the date mentioned by her husband, July, 1917.

The Akeleys were married in 1902, while Akeley was head of the Field museum of Chicago. The couple started almost immediately for Africa to collect specimens for the museum.

On the first expedition Mrs. Akeley made a reputation for herself. For more than 1,000 miles across the heart of the "Dark Continent" she shared every danger and hardship with her husband. Time after time, together they braved death under the fangs of jungle beasts.

Saved Husband

Four years later, on the next African trip, she saved her husband's life, in a battle with a lion. The only white woman for hundreds of miles, she nursed the seriously wounded naturalist back to health.

A few months later the adventuresome wife shot and killed the largest elephant ever taken in Africa, by man or woman. In accomplishing this feat, they narrowly escaped with their lives.

The return to America, following each trip to the wilds of Africa found both attracting universal attention. Akeley was "lionized" by scientific and socially prominent groups, lecturing from coast to coast. In spite of the urgings of her friends, the wife refused steadily to lecture on her experiences.

Steadily the civilian life of the two intrepid explorers and hunters grew apart until last year, Akeley left his wife behind while he went again into the wilds with Miss Martha Miller, his secretary; Mrs. Herbert Bradley, New York novelist; Bradley and the five year old Bradley child.

Akeley has just completed a lecture tour through the Far West and Mrs. Akeley is recovering from a serious illness, which confined her to her home in New York for the last several months.

Mrs. Akeley's attorneys declare the "Modern Diana," who braved the fiercest wild beasts and the most strenuous hardships to be with her husband through four African trips, will meet the hunter in the courtroom the day of the divorce trial.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

County Clerk J. L. Day announced Tuesday that a total of 118 marriage license had been issued since he was sworn into office on January 1st, or nearly an average of two each day for this time. The following marriage license were issued for the week ending March 13:

J. H. Christian and Maggie Holford.
Eddie Stephens and Oreda Brizeal.
I. J. Jones and Edna Blue.
Rocelins Davis and Rosa Means.
Rufus McDowall and Cleo Webb.
Jno. Allison and Mary Robertson.
Fred Norvelle and Mrs. Johnnie B. Gantt.
R. L. Jackson and Ina Mae Smith.
Sam A. Deene and Alyce Reisenborrer.
W. A. Carruth and Edna Reed.
Starling Loven and Willie D. Lewis.
F. L. Loftis and Anna Belle Faircloth.

Prominent Attorney Flies to Bedside of His Sick Mother

Judge Curtis, who has been at Groesbeck for several days representing E. K. Williams in the district court, received a message this morning from his home in Temple stating that his mother was very ill, and he left in Mr. Williams' airplen with Herbery Kindred as pilot, for the bedside of his mother.

The city police did not make an arrest Thursday. Perhaps they were all making out their income tax receipts as this was the last day for that work.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

I have moved my harness shop from the building next door west of the Mexio Oil and Gas office across the street to the building next door west of the City Hall, and now have a better place in which to display my stock and to take care of your harness business.

Will be glad to have my friends call at my new stand.

Yours for service,
Mexia Harness Company,
A. LIEBE, Prop.
13d5t.

H. & T. C.

Northbound.

No. 19—3:50 a. m.; Denison and Dallas.
No. 17—4:35 a. m.;Ft. Worth via. Dallas.
No. 37—4:55 a. m.; Dallas.
No. 15—3: 55 p. m.; Ft. Worth and Dallas.
No. 31—12:50 p. m.; Mexia to Dallas

Southbound

No. 18— 1:37 a. m.; Houston.
No. 16—11:45 a. m. San Antonio and Houston.
No. 38—11:35 p. m.; San Antonio and Austin.
No. 20—11:59 p. m.; Houston.
No. 32—10:00 a. m. Mexia.
No. 345—From Navasota; 3:45 p. m.
No. 346—To Navasota; 7:00 a. m.

T. & B. V.

North.

No. 8—3:25 p. m.

South.

No. 7—12:55 p. m.

AN ORDINANCE.

An ordinance prohibiting the running loose and at large of any animal of the dog kind on the streets, avenues highways, or other public places in the City of Mexia without being muzzled, declaring same to be a public nuisance, describing the kind of muzzle required, defining the duty of police officers in connection with the enforcement of this ordinance, providing that dogs shall be destroyed under certain conditions excepting certain dogs, providing dogs shall be redeemed, declaring an emergency and providing a penalty.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas:

SECTION 1. The being and running loose and at large of any animal of the dog kind in the streets, avenues, highways or other public places in the City of Mexia without being muzzled as herein provided, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance, and it shall hereafter be unlawful for the owner or harborer of any animal of the dog kind, or any person having custody or control of any animal of the dog kind, to suffer or permit such animal to run loose or at large in the streets, avenues, highways or other public places in the City of Mexia, unless the mouth of such animal is muzzled in such a manner as to protect persons from being bitten.

SECTION 2. The muzzle herein required to be used shall be made of some kind of suitable material, which possesses sufficient strength to securely muzzle the mouth of such animal of the dog kind so as to prevent such animal from biting, and said muzzle shall be so fastened in such a manner that the same shall securely keep said dog from biting persons.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Chief of Police or any police officer to cause to be taken up or impounded all animals of the dog kind loose or at large, in violation of the terms of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. The owner of any animal of the dog kind, impounded as aforesaid shall have the right to redeem the same upon the payment to the Chief of Police, or officer in charge of the pound the sum of one dollar and fifty ($1.50) cents for each animal so redeemed. The sum paid to the Chief of Police shall be paid by him into the City Treasury. The time for removing said animal shall be twenty-four hours after their capture and impounding. All such animals not redeemed within such time shall be destroyed by the Chief of Police or any police officer authorized by him to do so.

SECTION 5. The provisions of this ordinance relating to the muzzling of dogs shall not apply to any animals of the dog kind that is being lead, providing said dog wears a good strong collar to which is attached a rope or strap of sufficient strength to hold such dog, or to any dog following country men or strangers through the City when they do not stop.

SECTION 6. Any person violating any of the terms and provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction therefor shall be fined in any sum not to exceed one hundred ($100.00) dollars; and each and every day that any animal of the dog kind is permitted to run at large or loose in violation of the terms of this ordinance shall constitute a separate and distinct offense.

SECTION 7. The fact that there is no adequate ordinance regulating the running at large of animals of the dog kind, and the further fact that there is at this time many vicious dogs running at large affected with hydrophobia or some other disease creates an emergency and a public imperative necessity; that the rule requiring ordinances to be read on more than one day be and the same is hereby suspended, and that this ordinance take effect from and after its passage and it is so ordained.

Passed and approved the 6th day of March, A. D., 1923.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest:
JAMES E. McELROY,
City Secretary.
12d10t.

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS,
Limestone County,
City of Mexia.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas, notice is hereby given that a general election will be held on the 3rd day of April, A. D., 1923, in and within the boundaries of the City of Mexia, Texas, at the City Hall in said City, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for said City, each of whom shall hold office for a term of two years and until their successors have been elected and qualified.

And W. O. Miller is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election, and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same; and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

In testimony whereof witness my official signature this the 1st day of Marcr, A. D., 1923.

E. WATSON, Mayor,
City of Mexia, Texas.
2d30t.

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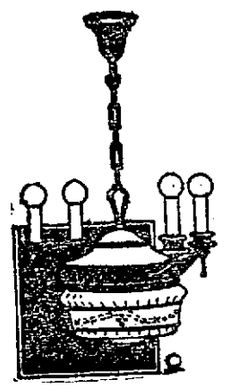

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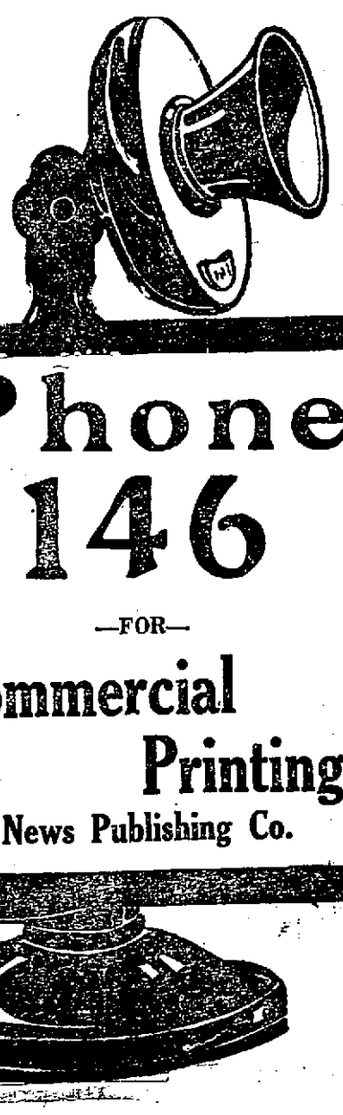

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Lighting and Power Rates Accepted By ity of Mexia; Expansion Program Is Suggested By Local Power Company

On this the 6th day of March, A. D., 1923, the City Commission of the City of Mexia convened in regular session in the City Hall, E. Watson, Mayor, W. W. Barnett, Commissioner, J. I. Riddle, Commissioner, being present, this constitutes the entire Board of Commissioners for the City of Mexia, and among other business transactions the following proceedings were had:

At this time came on for discussion and consideration electric light rates and the following proposition from Adam H. Davidson was accepted.

Schedule of Rates to Accompany Franchise Dated Oct. 19, 1922.

Hon. Mayor and City Commissioners, Mexia, Texas.

Gentlemen:

In consideration of the action of the City Officials, in granting to Adam H. Davidson, a franchise to maintain and operate an Electric Light and Power system, within the City of Mexia, for a period of thirty years from date hereof, it is agreed that the following schedule of rates will become effective from the December billing, 1922.

Lighting Rates:

First 10 kw. hrs. 18c per kw. hr.
Second 10 kw. hrs. 16c per kw. hr.
Next 20 kw. hrs. 15c per kw. hr.
Next 30 kw. hrs. 14c per kw. hr.
Next 30 kw. hrs. 12c per kw. hr.
Next 400 kw. hrs. 11c per kw. hr.
Over 500 kw. hrs. 10c per kw. hr.
....Lighting schedule minimum billing $1.50.

Power Rates:

First 15 kw. hrs. included in minimum monthly billing.
Next 500 kw. hrs. 8c per kw. hr.
Next 2000 kw. hrs. 7c per kw. hr.
Next 250- kw. hrs. 6c per kw. hr.
All over 5015 kw. hrs. special rates, depending on the quantity consumed and the class of service.

Minimum monthly billing on each installation, $1.00 per horse power of connected load.

The guarantee proposes to develop effect offering a larger amount of current to be used at the minimum billing. The schedule of rates as a whole will benefit all consumers of current for lighting purposes and especially will this apply to the small customer.

The guarantee proposes to develop the power business in the territory served and with the ultimate increase in revenues from sources not at present developed, it should be possible to further decrease the lighting rates.

Respectfully submitted,
Adam H. Davidson.
By E. B. N. Eiswanger.

The above proposition was accepted by the City Commission and the schedule of rate therein set forth was unanimously adopted as the rate to be charged by Adam H. Davidson, his successors and assigns.

Bomb Kills Bride At German Wedding

By GUS M. QEHM
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

BERLIN (By Mail to United Press.) The marriage service of a young Jewish couple in Braunau, Bavaria, was turned into a funeral when a Nationalist fanatic threw a bomb into the crowd, killing the bride and wounding four of the spectators.

Feeling among both Jewish and anti Semetic sympathizers in the village ran high when the assailant, who was later captured, declared he had hoped to kill not only the bride, but the bride groom, the rabbi and all the relatives and friends.

The rabbi was just in the act of stepping forward to meet the young couple when the bomb came hurling into the assemblage, rolling to the feet of the bride. The explosion cut the ceremony short and when the surviving participants recovered from the shock, the bride lay dead and four persons were severely wounded.

The assailant declared he was a hater of Jews.

AROUND THE TRAINING CAMPS

HOUSTON—Rain stopped the practice of the Houston Buffs yesterday and it is doubtful if any real practice can be done today. The Buffs will take on a more serious aspect in a few days when they will journey on March 20 to 23 to College Station and Austin for a series of practice games with A. & M. and the Texas Longhorns. Meantime Hunter Hill is expected to return with additional Cardinal material to plug up a few remaining holes on the team.

LONGVIEW.—East Texas League organized here in a meeting yesterday with six towns, Marshall, Mount Pleasant, Sulphur Springs, Paris, Greenville, and Longview, putting up the necessary money. Ike Hockwald, Marshall was elected president and T. L. Denman, Mount Pleasant, vice president. The season starts April 19 and closes Labor Day.

SAN ANTONIO.—With all the regular Bears in camp except Oscar Johnson, Manager Bob Coleman, is to lead his team to Cuero to take on the Galveston Sandcrabs in a pair of exhibition games scheduled for Saturday and Sunday.

DALLAS.—A cold March wind yesterday caused the exhibition game scheduled between the Dallas Steers and the Southern Methodist University Mustangs yesterday, to be postponed until today.

CUERO.—Tom Connolly, Hal Diviney and Joe Kiefer, arriving in time for the Thursday workout, augmented the force of the Galveston Sandcrabs to twenty-one. Diviney, who led the team's hurlers in games won and lost last year, looks fit and fine and is about down to weight.

WICHITA FALLS.—Cold weather kept the Spudders idle yesterday. Red Williams, outfielder, is most promising rookie in camp, showing a disposition to take everything that comes his way and a healthy swing at bat.

Equality For Women In Latest Measures

LONDON, March 17.—Two new privileges for British wives are sought in bills introduced in Parliament and due for early consideration.

The first bill, whose sponsors include Lady Astor and Mrs. Wintringham, the other woman member of the British House of Commons, would grant divorces to women on the same grounds upon which they are given to man.

The second, a government measure would permit women to enjoy terms for crimes committed in the presence of their husbands.

At present a woman must prove cruelty or desertion as well as misconduct to obtain a divorce. Under the new bill misconduct alone would be sufficient.

Under an ancient British law, a wife who commits a crime in the presence of her husband is presumed to have been coerced by the husband and cannot be prosecuted.

OIL BOOM IN S. A.

BUENOS AIRES (United Press.)—As a market for supplies connected with the petroluem industry Argentina is rapidly becoming important. Several years ago there was scarcely any development of the oil resources of the country by private capital. Today private companies are working with a combined capital of nearly $20,000,000 Many wells are being drilled.

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BUENOS AIRES (United Press.)—Practically every important railroad and street car line in Argentina had a large income and smaller expense in 1922 than in the previous year, which is taken to indicate a favorable outlook for investments of foreign capital

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ATTENTION ELKS:

Regular meeting of Mexia Lodge No. 1449 B. P. O. Elks at the Club tonight. Your presence is requested. Visiting Elks always welcome.

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Local News

Street taxes are now being collected here.

H. Kilpatrick was a Corsicana visitor Wednesday.

Allen H. Talmage of Houston was here Wednesday.

J. A. Elkins of Houston is in the city on business.

E. M. Collis had business in this city Wednesday.

E. A. Evaret of Dallas was a Mexia visitor this week.

R.A. Wagner was a business visitor to Waco Thursday.

Alex McCurdy is a New Yorker in in Mexia this week.

Alton Gidden was a Thornton visitor the early part of the week.

A. W. Howe of Peoria, Ill., had business in the city this week.

E. M. Larrison of Corsicana was here on business this week.

Dr. Roy L. Leamon spent last Sunday with relatives at Thornton.

Billie Ward was a Groesbeck visitor Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wimberly of this city were Corsicana visitors Thursday.

Among Waco visitors seen here Wednesday were P. P. Williams, D. D. Adams and C. L. Massey.

Arthur A. Evarts of Dallas, who addressed the Mexia Rotarians Thursday, left for his home on the four o'clock train Thursday afternoon.

Among other Dallas visitors here this week were C. R. Young, C. E. Scruggs, P. M. Mimberly, George Bellar, J. A. Rhodes, M. O. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins, and Robert Martin.

Mrs. Edith Blankenship and son, Barney, of Thornton, spent a short while here recently visiting her sister, Miss Leta Mae McCravey, going from here to Teague where they visited another sister, Mrs. Monaghan.

Charles Rhea of Hearne, formerly of this city, has been visiting this week in the home of Sam Adamson. He attended the funeral of Mrs. W. D. Pittman Thursday, being one of the old friends of the family who was greatly grieved at her sudden death.

A blue Texas Norther hit Mexia Thursday, when there was another downpour of rain. Today is quite different, however, with the wind having abated, lovely sunshine returning, everyone feeling better and street paving resumed.

There will be preaching services at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and night, according to members of the congregation, Rev. French W. Thompson of Milford having been secured to occupy the pulpit that day.

A. H. Berry states that he has just received a card from Hon. Luther Johnson, Congressman from this district, who has recently been to Washington. The card was dated in New York City. He states that he expects to be home in Corsicana in a few days.

DELPHIANS HOLD

The Mexia Delphian Chapter had their regular meeting Wednesday, Mrs Fred Bennett very ably leading the discussion.

The following interesting and educational program was given:

Subject: Egypt of Bible times.

Approximate dates: 1788 B. C. to 525 B. C.

General Theme: Egyptian civilization modified by the Asiatic.

A. Preparatory Reading.
1. Suggestions for discussion.
B. Text Reports.
1. The exploits of Ahmose and Thutmose I, by Mrs. W. B. Landrum.
2. The earliest Queen of history, by Miss Lelia Conrad.
2. The conquests of Thutmose III, by Mrs. T. F. Morrow.
3. A religious reformer, by Mrs. C. W. Kennon.
4. Seti, Mrs. Roy Akin.
5. Ramses the Great by Miss Sally Pengilly.
6. Successors of Ramses by Mrs. Joe Compton.
7. Salient points and study suggestions.
C. General discussion.
D. President's summary.
E. Current Events.
1. Science and invention, Mrs. Zeno King.
2. Interior decoration, Mrs. W. M. White.
3. Contemporary Drama, Mrs. Sandford Smith.
4. Art, Mrs. Hickman, Music Mrs. Ira Needham.
5. Book Synopsis, Mrs. Maud Clark.

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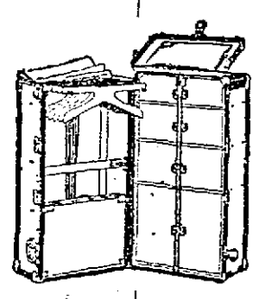

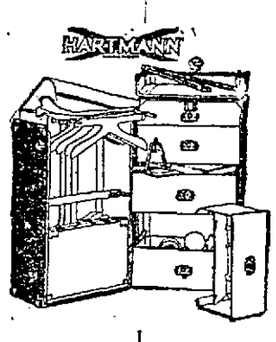

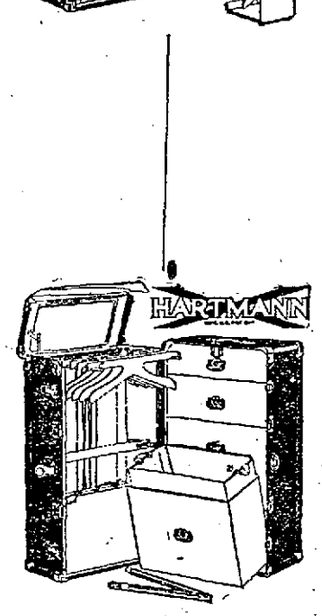

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